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Applicant : Yumin Liu
Application No. : 09/815,914 Confirmation No. : 7459
Filed : March 22, 2001
For : PROCESSES FOR OXIDATIVE
DEHYDROGENATION
Group Art Unit : 1764
Examiner : Tam M. Nguyen

New York, New York
October 1, 2003

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: Reply to Office Action; Terminal Disclaimer;
to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

A fee for additional claims is not required.

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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid for	Present Extra	Rate	Fees
TOTAL CLAIMS	*	-	*	= 0	x \$18 = \$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	*	-	*	= 0	x \$86 = \$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$290	= \$0.00

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